

6 July 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

### Sports Day (Years 9 & 10) – Tuesday 13 July 2021

Our annual Sports Day at the Osterley track (opposite the school) takes place on **Tuesday 13 July**. This is an important school event thoroughly enjoyed by participants and staff alike.

Students in Years 9 and 10 will participate in a range of track and field athletic events starting at 12.30pm. Students **must participate in at least one event** and are only allowed to take part in a **maximum of three** events. They will gain points for their house based on their active participation.

<b>12 NOON:</b>	Students arrive at school (in school PE Kit) and go to their form room. Free School Meals students collect their lunch from CucinA.
<b>12.15PM:</b>	Supervised move to the track. Events start at 12.30pm.
<b>3.00PM:</b>	Students depart the athletic track and go home.

Please note the following key points:

- **PE kit** - Students must wear full and correct physical education kit (House Polo Shirt). A tracksuit can be worn to and from school but jeans and other informal clothing will not be allowed. Students **not in full PE kit with House shirt will not be allowed to compete**.
- **COVID Safety** - We continue to enforce safe practices and, hence, year groups will be separated. We expect students to have a face-covering and sanitiser.
- **Safety** - Cover and shaded areas at the track are sparse; therefore, a shower-proof jacket, hat and sun-cream are allowed and strongly advised, depending on the weather forecast.
- **Valuables** - No valuables should be brought to the event; the school does not take responsibility for any damage or loss.
- **Lunch** - The school canteen, CucinA, will be only be open to students on Free School Meals. Given that there is no café at the track, all other students are advised to bring a healthy packed lunch with sufficient water for the event.
- **Free School Meal Students** - Will receive a free packed lunch.
- **Spectating** - Due to COVID-19 restrictions, parents/carers cannot attend the event.
- **Bad Weather** - A decision on any cancellation will be made **before 3.00pm** on Monday 12 July. Therefore, we urge you to check the school website or Twitter account. Should the event be cancelled, Tuesday 13 July will be a normal school day.

Thank you in anticipation of your support for what is always an exciting and memorable event in our school calendar.

Yours faithfully,



**Mr S Fisher**  
Deputy Headteacher